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Portland Ore.
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Mr. J. P. Doyle, Manager
The Port of Portland
916 Spalding Building

Dear Sir:

The following is a brief summary of operations & activities performed at The Port of Portland Dry Docks at St. Johns and Swan Island during the month of February 1951.

DRY DOCK OPERATIONS: Blocks were built and the following dockings and undockings took place during the month.

<u>Docking Number</u>	<u>Docking Time</u>	<u>Names of Vessels</u>	<u>Un-docking Date</u>	<u>Dock No.</u>
4810	(1/11)	Barge Smith #5	2/1	1
4813-64	(1/17)	Tanker Oleum	2/3	Navy
4821	(1/31)	S/S Nachman Syrkin	2/3	2
4822	2/1	Tug Peter W	2/1	1
4823	2/2	M/S C Trader		1
4824-65	2/3	S/S Fred C. Ainsworth		Navy
4825	2/3	S/S Horace Luckenbach	2/4	2
4826	2/4	S/S Ocean Mail	2/6	2
4827	2/6	S/S Darel M. Ritter	2/8	2
4828	2/8	S/S Rufus W Peckham	2/10	2
4829	2/10	S/S Henry M. Stephens	2/13	2
4830	2/13	S/S Rufus W Peckham	2/17	2
4831	2/17	M/V Idaho	2/17	2
4832	2/18	S/S Andrea F. Luckenbach	2/19	2
4833	2/19	S/S North Beacon	2/20	2
4834	2/20	S/S Elmer A. Sperry	2/21	2
4835	2/21	S/S Constitution State	2/26	2

The S/S Fred C. Ainsworth was on Navy dock -Swan Island at end of month. Number 2 dock-St.Johns was idle at end of month. The "C Trader" was on dock #1-St. Johns at end of Feb. The S/S Washington arrived Berth #1 Swan Island 2/18 for berthage for repairs-not expected to drydock.

MAINTENANCE OF DRY DOCKS: ST. JOHNS Continued repairs to spuds-dock #2. Cleaned & painted figure boards, repaired safety lines, adjusted platforms and renewed breast lines. Inspected, maintained & repaired pumps & piping. Inspected and cleaned electric motors. Replaced burned out lamps. Repaired drop & spud lights. Inspected & maintained floating dock sections. Repaired fire service lines account freeze.

WHARVES & STRUCTURES ON WHARVES: Inspected & maintained wharf cranes. Inspected, repaired and maintained fire service lines. Cleaned wharves & piers. Refastened boom sticks around piers. Started to make repairs to main approach to wharves.

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BUILDINGS ETC ON SHORE: ST. JOHNS PLANT Repaired and maintained roadways and tracks. Inspected and repaired fire service lines account freeze. Cleaned and maintained buildings on shore. Maintained air service lines.

AUXILIARY PLANT: St. JOHNS PLANT: Inspected and repaired electric lines and equipment. Maintained hand tools. Inspected & maintained machine tools. Maintained and operated transport equipment. Maintained and operated heating plant. Operated and maintained air compressors. Operated and maintained cranes.

SWAN ISLAND - NAVY DOCK AND PLANT

Continued the re-activation of station "J" Finished reinforcing timbers under outside rail of crane tracks. Continued making drawings etc. in connection with new construction. Finished removal of trucks from Crane #5 and installation of same on crane #3 and the repairing of trucks from crane #3 and installation on crane #5. Inspected and maintained floating dock sections. Inspected & maintained electrical equipment. Renewed piping damaged during cold weather. Inspected and maintained miscel dry dock equipment. Cleaned and maintained outfitting pier. Inspected and maintained water lines. Operated transport & cranes. Operated air compressor service. Maintained and repaired cranes as required. Cleaned and maintained air compressors. Maintained hand tools. Maintained electric lines and equipment. Maintained ~~air~~ air lines. Cleaned and maintained buildings and auto parking area. Started to reinforce timbers under inside rail of crane tracks. Finished making 10 covers for switch boxes under outfitting pier. Continued repairs to crane trolly slots. Started to sectionalize crane trolly ~~slat~~ system at sub station "J" & "K" to facilitate repairs to wharf & outfitting pier. Repaired 5 wooden skips and made one wooden skip. Closed original gate into drydock area and cut fence and installed double gate in new location. Repaired roof of shed used for storing lumber etc. Started to make traction motor coils for gantry cranes. Started to take inventory of sheet steel piling salvaged from demolition of ship-building structure.

PORTLAND AIRPORT: Inspected electrical equipment.


STEAMER PORTLAND: Repaired wheel. Started to make 2 spare monkey rudders. Started to make brake ratchets for deck winches & stops for fairleads.

DREDGE CLACKAMAS: Handled cutter. Removed broken spud and installed spare spud. Started to repair broken spud. Inspected electrical equipment.

DREDGING JOB 1292: Handled shore & floating pipe. Filed saws for shore crew. Repaired ramp crossing pipe line on Swan Island. Started to make signs reading 'Danger-keep clear of pipe line' for pipe line on Swan Island.

F-28: Store Stock Made 500 wooden wedges.

Yours truly,



Dry Dock Supt.

